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NEWS IN BRIEF.

Compiled from Various Sources.

THE British authorities have made argements to seize as a treasonable publi-ion copies of the New York Irish World

THE anti-Jewish petition preser rek the other day is in 26 volumes. The 25,000 names include those of noble-men, generals and officials.

THE Pennsylvania House of Repredives refused to pass a resolution in-ing President Garfield's Administration instructing the Senators from that State to confirm his appointments.

JAY GOULD has purchased of Col. Thomas A. Scott the controlling interest in the Texas & Pacific Railroad and succeeds the latter as President of the company. Mr. H. M. Hoxie has been chosen Superintend-

DAVENPORT and Rock Island suffered great loss from the rise in the Mississippi on the 14th, caused by the ice gorge. All along the river fronts and the adjacent lands the water was from one to five feet

competitive examination of applicants for positions in the Peasion Bureau. It is said the ordered was issued by request of the President

THE Denver Republican is informed that the Denver & Rio Grande Railway Comseny intend importing 10,000 French labor-ers and a corps of French engineers to work on the extensions of the air-line in Mexico

MAYOR-ELECT MEANS, of Cincinnati, who was elected on a temperance and general reform platform, has given out that he will begin the work of reforming the city by closing the salsons on Sundays between the hours of 11 a. m. and 2 p. m.

SOPHIE PIEOFFSRY, Roussakoff, baltschitisch, Jeliaboff, and Michaeloff, Russian Nihilists condemned for connec-m with the recent assassination, were aged at St. Petersburg on the 15th, in the

THE new railroad route to California by the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Rail-road has served a notice that it will not re-ceive freight for the Pacific Coast. This is ed as a move on the part of Jay Gould in the business for the Central Pacific

POSTMASTER-GENERAL JAMES has appointed a commission to make a thorough examination into the alleged steamboat mail service irregularities on the several routes centering at Memphis. The commission will also look into the management of the Post-stace in that city.

DISTRICT-ATTORNEY BLISS, of St. Louis, has had a conference with the United States Attorney-General in regard to the prosecution of the parties connected with the extensive Missouri land frauds recently discovered. The Attorney-General decided that the proper course is to prosecute accused persons before the United States Court, and bot before State Courts. Mr. Bliss will accordingly prosecute the second

letter, addressed to John A. Martin, of

A Washington dispatch says: A movement to unite the Republicans, Greenbackers and Independents of Mississippi in opposition to the Democrats in the approaching State election has been organized. Ex-Congressman McKee has been appointed to organize the Fusion Committee and he will be its Chairman. Ex-Governor Aleora will be the candidate of the Fusionists for Governor, and they count upon retting many. per the candidate of the Funionists for Governor, and they count upon getting many
Democratic votes. The President sustains
the movement and will give it his countenance and support. Similar movements
are being organized in North Carolina,
Georgia, Alabama, Louislana and Arkaneas,
and it is expected to make it general in the

Ir is estimated from the official reords in the Surveyor-General's Office that 227,000 acres of land have been submerged on the Dakota side of the Missouri River during the recent overflow. The region in-undated embraces portions of Yankton, Clay and Union Counties, and is thickly setlied, being the oldest occupied land in the Territory. The War Department has been wealthiest men of Cleveland, O., blew his in sufficient quantities by the War Depart-ment, will be furnished through the Interior Department from Indian supplies, to be re-placed eventually by the War Department.

SECRETARY WINDOM's plan of exfending the matured 6-per-cent, bonds at 3 1-2 per-cent interest is said to receive the almost unanimous concurrence of the banks and other holders of the bonds. Any holder of these securities can have them continued at the pleasure of the Government, at the

at the pleasure of the Government, at the rate of 31-2 per-cent, interest, by forwarding them to the Treasury Department to be stamped, semi-annual interest payments to be mide by check to the holder's address. The Government will pay no expense of transportation on bonds received, but will related to the detected in robbing the matter of the control of the contro

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

THE Governor of Dakota, the Mayor of Yankton, and other leading citizens have issued an appeal for aid for the sufferers by the recent inundation. A STRANGE and terrible disease has

broken out among the Chinamen employed on the Canada Pacific Railway works in British Columbia, more than 100 of them having died in a day or two. THE Citizens' Bank of Atlanta, Ga... abia, more than 100 of them having 1,000 were killed.

a State Institution, closed its doors on the 13th. It has a large line of deposits and car-ries about \$100,000 of State funds. The offi-cers of the bank are charged with having used the funds for outside speculations.

THE Missouri overflow has caused

great destruction on the low lands between St. Joseph and Kansas City. A COMPANY has been organized at Indianapolis to build an air-line railroad from that city to Logansport, connecting with the Pan-handle for Chicago.

A NEGRO woman was lynched at Martin's Depot, S. C., for attempted aron CHARLES MORMON, a Leadville stage-driven, was lynched at Durango, Chid, for killing Poik Prindle, in Inoffensive either.

A DESTRUCTIVE cyclone passed over he country north of Hernando, Miss., on the 12th, demolishing everything in its path. Dr. Lauderdale's house was blown down and he and his daughter were seriously in-jured. A colored woman on Mr. Memsone's place was killed, also a child on the Banks place, and Mr. Glover and his wife were both injured. Johnstonk Co.'s and Lack-land's stores were destroyed and their con-tents given for miles along the path of the hurricane. Ben. Harwell was killed in his own house, and Deputy Sheriff Sikes John-ston was blown off his horse and had both

ABIEL Wilson, a wealthy bachelor, North Andover, Mass., was awakened by the noise of footsteps in the house on the marning of the 13th. He remained awake until about 4 o'clock, when the door of his until about 4 o'clock, when the door of his chamber was burst in and two men rushed into the room. He seized his rifle, which was standing near the bed, and fired, hitting the foremost burglar. Both fied down the stairs after the shooting and Mr. Wilson arose from his bed. He found finger marks in blood on the plastering at the west window, and about 120 feet from the house found the body of a young man behind a stone wall. It proved to be that of Arthur Foster, a student of theology at Phillips Academy. He had been shot in the left arm, the ball passing into his chest and through his heart. A few minutes afterwards Luther Foster, twin brother of the killed burglar, appeared on the scene, and confessed that he and Arthur had conspired to burglarize the house. He said his brother fell dead after jumping from the window.

the window.

covering all the principal thoroughfares in the city. The Covington and New-port employees also voted to take a hand in the strike. The rate of wages heretofore paid has been from \$1.70 to \$1.75, employees being required to work fifteen hours per day, not excepting Sunday. The advanced rate demanded is \$2.00 and \$2.25 per day. The company express a determination not to accede to the demands of the strikers, and say they will have us a fi-

alty in supplying their places at JAMES DALEY, proprietor of the Connaught (Ireland) Telegraph, has been ar-rested under the Coercion act. The arrest caused considerable excitement.

REV. W. MORLEY PUNSHON, the dis inguished English preacher and author, is PARKELL, addressing a Land League

of the provisions of the Jamp bill as flipsoff, particularly the provisions for securing free sale. The bill, he sale, would not benefit tenants arrears. Billon said the bill, if passed, would destroy the power of the Land League, and warned the tenant farmers against being led to accept it. A resolution passed declaring the bill imidequate. CADET BUCK, of Texas, who sho

the body of Hatise Deuell, the Iowa City fast-ing girl, showed that there was not a single drop of blood in her body, and that her stomach was entirely void of substance. The

ody weighed forty-five pounds. Ar Goffstown, N. H., an octogenarian named Franklin Aiken was overcome by smoke and excitement in trying to save,

AT Red Oak, Iowa, on the 14th, oung lady named Sadie Spencer was struck by a locomotive and literally torn to pieces. AT DeGraff, O., on the 14th, Jonathan Thatcher and Jacob Rowley quarreled about some house rent, and Thatcher was stabled in the neck and abdomen. The wounds are severe but not fatal. Thatcher was formerly editor of the DeGraff Banner.

THREE large petards thrown into houses in Madrid, Spain, caused considerable damage to property. No one hurt.

ELMORE T. COBB, son of one of the

erains out on the 14th. A DELEGATION of Virginia Republicans, headed by Congressman Jorgensen, called on the President on the 15th and begged him not to recognize Mahone nor to succurage any Republican coalition with

HENRY DUERSON (colored) was hanged at Des Arc., Ark., on the 15th, for the murder of his wife in the autumn of 1879.

Tag billiard match in New York City resulted—Schaefer 4,000, Slosson 2,780.
Two brothers, Josephus and Aristedes

tonio, Texas. F. S. Phillips, a sheep-herdet, is under arrest charged with the crime.
W. J. MUNDEN, member of the Lowhas cloped with the wife of J. A. Johnson

They earried off a large amount of money. THE latest returns state that 8,000 persons were killed and 10,000 lejured by the earthquake on the island of Chio. At Nevita

CHERLES PIERRONET, freight conductor on the Laramie Division of the Union Pacific Railroad, called Roadmaster H. C.

APRIL II.—Two votes in the Senate of motions to go into executive sessing disclosed the presence of only a bare quorum of unpaired Senators, viz., twenty Republicaus and nineteen Democrats. The principal speech of the day was made by Senator Vest, of Missouri. He took up the declaration of Sherman, that no States or municipalities had repudiated their debts save such as were under Democratic control, and asserted that Minnston, and that a group of Northwestern States had practically repudiated upward of \$100,000,000 of bonds.

APRIL 12 .- On motion of Mr. Burnside,

be window.

Stockton's gang of desperadoes are still depredating in Arriba County, N. M. Adjutant-General countring at Memphs. The commission will also look into the management of the Post-scale in that city.

James O'Brien, alias Robert Lindsay, who testified falsely, as afterward confessed, in the Morey letter case, that he knew H. L. Morey, etc., has been sentenced by Judge Cowing, of the New York Court of General Sessions, to imprisonment in Sing Sing Prison for eight years.

Col. A. J. Broad, Head Paymaster of the River Agency, Colo., says he thinks at Ure war almost certain. The settlers are in arms in anticipation of an outbreak. There are about seventy families in the Uncompalage country, and only 100 soldiers at the General Sessions, to imprisonment, while the Utes can muster 700 warriors. The settlers have petitioned the Governor for protection.

HILM PRICE, of Iows, recently APRIL 13 .- This was another day of he

many visitors who had come anternaming renewal of hostilities went away disappoint ed. The usual motions, to proceed with the election of officers and to go into executive session, were made at an early stage of the proceedings, and then Senator Morgan too the floor and was followed by Messrs. Brow and Hong. Senator fonkling put in his appearance for the first time in several day. The Senato adjourned till Monday.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

PRESIDENT GARFIELD has received letter from a Chicago Socialist who considers him as much a "despot as the Czar o and hints at dynamite and nitro

JORGENSEN denies having indorsed the movement for a straight Republican ticket in Virginia and the proposed removal from office of Readjusters. His visit to the White House was simply to introduce the tlelegation to the President.

HENRY SWEATINGER, a resident

John G. Thompson, Jr., of Ohfo, a student of Dayson. Cal., 'shot his mother preparing for West Point Academy, has been tried and acquitted.

A POST-MORTEM examination held on He next shot his wife in the arm, and then seizing her and placing a pistol to her breast, fired it with fatal effect. He then sent a bullet through his own brain. Mrs. Boucher was the widow of the late State Senator for

Butte County.

A TRAIN on the Chicago & Northwest. rn Railway bound for Chicago was thrown if the track sixteen miles south of Milwaukee, on the 17th. There were no less than seventeen passengers slightly injured, al-

NEAR Laurinburg, N.C., the other day, im. Deberry, enraged by some words from Miss Ann Murphy, a young woman upon whom he had called, went out to the woodpile for an ax, returned in a theatrical man-ner, and knocked her senseless and bleeding by a blow on the head, throwing the weapon at her as he made his escape. The wound is

FIVE bodies from the wrecked steamer J. G. Huntington have been picked up by the crew of a life station, near Chatham, Mass. One was identified as R. H. Ames. DISPATCHES to Constantinople repre ent the ravages of the plague at Bagdad a errible, proving fatal in ten hours. Nedjed and Djuhars were burned on the 8th.

In New York City, recently, the cloth ing of Agnes Paine, five months old, took fire and she was severely burned. Her mother was also badly burned trying to put out the fice, and the grandmother, who dame to their aristance, was so shocked that she fell down and her neck was broken. The mother and child were taken to the ho where both died within a few days. Ar Butler, Ga., recently, a negro co

etod of burglary and lareeny and sentenced the Penitentlary for ten years, punched both his eyes. AT Little Rock, Ark., on the 16th, the body of a man supposed to be Wm. Scott, of Blingts, was found floating in the river. Murder is suspected, and the remains await

transportation on bonds received, but wing transportation on bonds received, but wing return such securities by prepaid registered mail. It is believed the same course will be pursued with the maturing 5-per-cent.

Mus. John Simmons, her 4-year-old for ten years previous was managing editor son, and her mother-in-law, Emily Parker, of the Chicago Evening Journal, was found were murdered, the 14th, south of San Anderson the 17th.

A TERRIBLE CALAMITY enticulars of the Recent Earthquake in the Island of Scio-Thousands of People Killed Great Destitution Among the Homeless Survivors

Scio, Aprila It is now believed that throughout the whole island, which confained 50,000 innationals, 5,000 or 7,000 were killed and in percent, of the survivors wounded. The Friench, British, United States and Austrian gun vessois in the

barbor are doing all in their power to assist the authorities in the work of relief.

Only ten of the inhald ants of Cherme wefe killed, but many houses are in ruins and 2), 600 people are without shelter.

A correspondent at Scio telegraphs, under

ductor on the Laramie Division of the Union Pacific Italirond, called Hoadmaster II. C. Graves out of the telegraph office at Laramic City and shot him dead on the 15th.

A CURIOUS story is told concerning two tramps who were taken in and setto work by Ben Davis on his plantation on Fifteen mile Bayou, on the St. Francis Riyer, forty miles below Madison, Ark. The women of the house became strangely enamored of the two tramps, the result being that Mrs. Ben Davis apid her daughter-in-law, wife of her hesband's son, one day left their home in company with their new friends and took passage down the river on a flat-boat. Young Davis pursued the romantic elopers, and overtaking them near Grant's Landing, shot one of the men as he stood on the deck of the flat-boat. The body was subsequently found, and in the dead man's pocket was a pardon from Gov. Cullom, of Illinois, to a man named Clark, which is supposed to sufficiently establish his identity. The other rogue and the two women had meanwhile deserted the boat and fled across the country, pursued by the relentless in the substranged of the steamer City of Yicksburg.

C. W. Fullong, one of a crew of river pirates, has been arrested for complicity in the washing and utilizing of the steamer City of Yicksburg.

L. RAMSAY, of Ramssy & Son, commission merchants, Chicago, suicided with a revolver on the litth. Unsuccessful speculation is said to have been the reason.

CONGRESSIONAL PROCEEDINGS.

A correspondent at Scio telegraphs, under date of the tith, as follows:

"I have included the city in state of the town and alphanes on the picture of the both and the picture of the promote of the town and the picture of the town suffered more than the rest of the town and the picture of the pictu

A mechanic of Rochester, N. Y., has, according to his own statements, just completed a duplicate of the celebrated astronomical clock of Strasburg in which city he was born and lived for many years. The only difference between the workings of the two clocks is in their size and in the form of the astronomical portions. The case for the main part of the Rochester clock is ten and one-half feet high, while it is in all particulars exactly proportionate to the clock, seventy-five feet high, which it

-A bicycle exhibition has proved very attractive in London. That exciting most attention is a new invention known as the "Otto," crsafety bicycle. In this the two wheels are parallel, in-stead of one in front of the other, and the person of the bicyclist is balanced securely by a most ingenious arrange-ment between the two. The speed at-tained by this instrument is said to be

made out of?

A Fearful Experience at Sea.

The steamship Nobo, from Rio Janeiro, arrived to day. Her Captain reports that he fell in with the bark Tiger, from Liverpool for Baltimore, seventy-seven days out, short of provisions, and supplied her. The crow were in the most depid able condition, having sustained life for several days on strips of feather soaked in lamp-oil, until the oil gave out, and then on the Captain's dog, after which there was nothing but cannibalism and death starting them in the face. To add to their sufferings, two vessels passed several days before within short distance, but paid no attention to their signals of distress.

As the steamer Nobo came up with the Tiser, they saw the latter Inverting a boat. After some moments of hard struggling she came alongside, her occupants dressed in oli-

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"It is considered more than the rest of the town. The ground there sunk about half a meer, and mearly sill the houses were immediately death have perished. It is known table about thirty. Mossuknan women were assembled in one house, not one of the of whom escaped. The suthern part of the island is said to have suffered more than this town.

"Ivisited Chesen this afternoon Only about ten inhabitants were killed, but many houses were in ruins and many more dilapidated. The Mayor assured me that three fourths of the houses are in a dangerous condition. The himbabitants are afraid to live in those which are unityined, for every night since Sunday frequent shocks have been felt. Nearly all prefer to camp out. As the weather is fine the hardship in this respect is not grant. It is said that throughout the district not less than 30,000 people are without shelter. In Kastro the work of extricating bodies and attending it the stifling olor in the vicinity of many of the ruins proves that the former operation is far from complete. On the other hand, some an was buried under ruins fifty-two hours, and at last was rescued having given birth in the meantime to a child. The child is dead, but the stifling olor in the vicinity of many of the meantime to a child. The child is dead, but the meantime to a child. The child is dead, but the stifling olor in the vicinity of many of the meantime to a child. The child is dead, but the meantime to a child. The child is dead, but the meantime to a child. The child is dead, but the mother is doing well."

The Murderers of the Czar Tried, Convicted and Sentenced.

Sr. Perensurae, April 2.

Is the trial of the hilding provisions and tore them the case intending a dealer of the houses are many to the case of the case o

cabin. Lest year he harvested sixty acres of wheat, twenty-five hushe's to the acre, and realized \$1.70. He laid in aquantity of fuel, and prepared for winter, but it proved more severe than he or his neighbors had criculated. In fact, Sterrette's better preparation for the rigors of the season turned out to be the only inpans which prevented himself, family and several neighbors from starving or treezing to death. In February he found it necessary to rescue the entire families of two neighboring farmers not so well housed from perishing by cold by taking them into his own house. The cold was so steady and so bitte' that before the season was half over the fuel which he had gathered te has until spring

was all consumed.

Then he and the men staying with him went out and took down the feirces and outhouses and bursed them. The heavy snow-inh, which at this time blockeded the railroads, was piled

weather should permit of its burial.

Soon after this, and just as the party was on the point of despair, the weather moderated sufficiently to break the snow blockade, and Sterrette and friends found rellef. A neighboring family during this time had no other food than soup made from an expelt, which happened to be in the house when the blockade began. Notwithstanding all this, Mr. Sterrette says the people like the country, and say they will stay and in the future be prepared for severe winters. The land is good, the soil is deep blanck, most of the settlers are foreigners, and the ownership of land is to them so novel and precious that they will not give it up.—Dubuque (lower Cor. Boston Globe.

An old Ruby Hill miner, says the Carson City Appeal, who has had lifteen years' experience under ground, says that he has observed one peculiar fact, that between twelve and two o'clock in the night, if there is a loose stone or bit of earth in the mine it is sure to fall. Says he: "About this time it seems that everything begins to stir, and immediately after twelve, although the mine has been still as a tomb before, you will hear particles of rock and earth come tumbling down, and if there

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POLITICAL ITEMS.

----Senator Conkling's dilemma seems to be whether he shall swallow Mr. Blaine's appointments, which he knows will disagree with him, or shall be swallowed by Mr. Blaine, with whom he hopes that he will disagree.

to engineer a new raid upon the South. During the late campaign they constantly assailed that section of the country on the ground of its consistent and ateady adherence as a whole to the Democratic party. Every State in which the people voted as they pleased was Democratic. And the Republican papers and orators rung all possible changes on the "Solid South," and tried their utmost, by appeals to Northern fears and prejudices, to make the sectional issue predominant. They built their hope of success upon a solid North. Yet for years they have labored with unceasing assiduity to gain control of the Southern States, first by coercion under Johnson and Grant, and If the Southern people did not spurn the tempting offer, to their credit be it said they took no stock in Hayes, and are true as steel in their allegiance to

Then he half the measurements are the state of the state of the party, and the state of the party and the was charged bythe attack by founds, and was connected with a state by founds, and was connected with a state by founds and was connected with the connected with the

ren; to preserve order and maintain equal laws everywhere; and, above all, to invite immigration from the North and abroad. The Democratic party of the South should make itself the pro-gressive party by advocating every measure calculated to increase the wealth and improve the condition of the people, and make their section more prosperous, attractive, free, and happy than ever: And if this work is effectually done Republican miscreants will have no success in their efforts at driv-ing a wedge into the heart of the Dem-

ratic party of the South .- N. Y. If Senators Conkling, Cameron and

If Senators Conking, Cameron and Logan, acting as agents of the Republican party, had approached Senator Mahone in open Senate, and bargained with him for his vote and his pledge to transfer his faction in Virginia to the Republican party; and it, in conclusion of that bargain, Senator Cameron had drawn his check for \$100,000 payable to the order of William Mahone, the country would have taken the the country would have taken the the onset of fever. -- Fopular Science trouble to get excited, and we suspect Monthly.

that all the Senators openly concerned in the trade would have been promptly expelled by "a Constitutional majori-

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Who, hereafter, can cherish an ambition to be chosen to a seat in the American Senate—a Senate "readjusted" by as vulgar a sample of sickoning corruption as was ever attempted by the lowest ward politicians in the slums of New York, Philadelphia or New Orleans?—Washington Fost

Washington Post. Republican Sensitiveness. account it is found that, while Gar-field ran ahead of his most important competitor, 3,500 votes, he lacked 316,-706 votes of a majority of the whole number east. In other words, there

The new scheme of the Republican managers is to divide the white people of the South on questions which will appeal directly to their local interests and pride. The speech of Senator Hoar over Mahone's accession indicated the settled purpose of the Republican managers: In Virginia the Republicans threw-their influence to a considerable extent into the scale of the repudiators. In Tennessee they contributed what they could to the disorganization of the Democratic party and invored the repu-

enungs, and this especially where dis-case exists. Let us, then, consider what is a common cold.

In the first place, we must be para-doxical, and affirm that it is not a cold at all. It is rather a heat, if I may so express myself, that is, it is a form of

express myself, that is, it is a form of fever, but, of course, of a very mild type when it is uncomplicated by other diseases. It is certainly in the majority of instances due to the effects of cold playing upon some portion of the body, and reacting upon the mucous membrane through the intervention of the nervous apparatus. What is called a cold, then, is in reality a fever; and, though in the majority of instances it is though in the majority of instances it is of such a trivial nature as to necessitate few precautions being taken during its attack, yet in some cases it runs a its attack, yet in some cases it runs a more acute course, and may be followed by great prostration. Even when the premonitory symptoms of a cold are developing themselves, when, for example, what a medical man calls a rigor, or, as it is popularly designated, a shivering is felt, when we would naturally suppose that the animal temperature is below par, it is at that very moment higher than the normal, thus showing the onset of fever.—Fopular Science

RELIGIOUS AND EDUCATIONAL.

—It is proposed to hold half-day ses-tions for the smaller children in the Worcester (Mass.) schools.

We passed through courts and alleys where swarthy Neapolitans were carting bales of rags, and up dark stairs where women and children were sorting them. Some of their homes were low, dark rooms, neglected and squalid; others were clean and picturesque, with bright patchwork counterpanes on the beds, rows of gay plates on shelves against the walls, mantels and shelves fringed with colored paper, red and blue prints of the saints against the waits plaster, and a big nosegay of lilacs on the dresser among the earthen pots. Dogs and children were tumbling together on the thresholds just as they do in the cool corridors of Italian towns. On the first floor of one of the houses I found an establishment for the repairing of hand-organs, where a wonderful escapes have occurred. One women was buried under ruins fifty-two hours, and at last was rescued having given birth in the meaning to a child. The child is dead, but he mother is doing wel."

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The Murderers o Neapolitans, who were swarmin out the windows in all their brow

shapeliness. In the hallway, above the rickety outer stairs, lounged several men with red shirts and unkempt heads prietor of the monkey establishment, and his farouche manner disappeared with our first words of interest in his with our first words of interest in his pets. He led us into the little room adjoining, where some six or eight half-grown monkeys were peering through the bars of their cages, evidently pleating to be let out. The most creditably schooled monkey was released first, handed his cap, made to the control of the cap. released first, handed his cap, made to doff and don it, and shake hands, or-ders being issued both in Italian and English. Some of the others—small brown things with bright eyes, and "not yet quite trained," said the Nea-politan—were allowed a moment's re-spite from captivity, at which they screened with joy and mude for the spite from captivity, at which they screamed with joy, and made for the dish of soaked bread, dipping their paws into it with great greediness, while the patrone laughed indulgently. A properly trained organ-monkey worth from twenty to thirty dollars.

In the great house known to Baxter Street as the "Bee-hive," we found the handsome padrona whose husband rents organs and sells clocks, which latter articles appear to be essentials to Italian housekeeping, in default of the many bells of the old country. The padrona was at first by no means eager to give information, as she supposed, in good broad American (she was born in good broad American (she was born in New York), that it "would be put in the papers, like it was before." It would appear that the advantages of communication with the outer world are not appreciated by the inhabitants of Baxter Street. The padroaa finally informed me that the reut of an organ was four dollars a month, and that they had hard work getting it out of the peowas four doilars a month, and that aley had hard work getting it out of the people who hired them. "for they always told you they had been sick, or times were bad, or their children had been sick; and when the Italians came over they expected you to give them a room with a carnet and a clock else they with a carpet and a clock, else they said you had no kindness." I saw in the cluster of eight houses that form the "Bee-hive" various humble homes, from the neat and graceful poverty adorned with bright colors, and sweet with the bunch of lilacs brought from the meaning's nurrhesting (the favorite the morning's marketing (the favorite flower of the neighborhood), to the dens of one room, in which three or four families live, and take boarders and lodgers into the bargain. They told me that the building contained in thousand souls, and that cases of mala rial fever were frequent. It is true that the odors of Baxter Street are unhealthy and unpleasant, arguing defective drain-age; but those of Venice are equally so, and exist for the prince no less than the and exist for the prince no less that the beggar. As for overcrowding, no one who for example, has spent a summer in Genoa, and has seen the stream of pallid, languid humanity pour out of the tall old houses of the Cariguano district, can find food for sensationalism in the manner of life common to Baxter Street. It must be remembered that the standard of prosperity in America is not that of Italy, and that a man is not necessarily destitute nor a pauper because he prefers organ-grinding or rag-picking to shoemaking or hod-carrying, and likes macaroni cooked in oil better than bakers' bread and tough

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